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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1202 18	2202 8	Claims in excess of 20
1201 86	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month	
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1253 950	2253 475	Extension for reply within third month	
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1255 2,010	2255 1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 330	2401 165	Notice of Appeal	
1402 330	2402 165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403 280	2403 145	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,330	2453 665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501 1,330	2501 665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
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1801 770	2801 385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

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3 Filing Date .....6/14/00  
4 Inventorship .....Horowitz et al.  
5 Group Art Unit .....2631  
6 Examiner .....Phu, Phuong M  
7 Attorney's Docket No. .... RB1-003us  
8 Title: Method and Apparatus for Transmitting Data with Reduced Coupling Noise

9 **INTERVIEW SUMMARY**  
10 **FOR INTERVIEW CONDUCTED ON AUGUST 5, 2004**  
11 **REQUIRED UNDER 37 CFR 1.133(b)**

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19 **ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS**

20 Status: Not Under Final

21 Participants: Rob Cottle and Phuong Phu

22 Proposed Date of Interview: August 5, 2004

23 Actual Date of Interview: August 5, 2004

24 Type of Interview: Telephonic

25 Exhibit Shown: No

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**ISSUES DISCUSSED**

Applicant and the examiner discussed Applicant's proposed amendments. Applicant and examiner discussed the 112 rejections in the outstanding Office Action. Applicant and examiner also discussed the Kish reference (U.S. Patent 5,282,754), which is used in the rejections of claims 1-21, 26-32, and 34-35 in the outstanding Office Action.

**Arguments Made and Agreements Reached**

Applicant argued that its clarifying amendments to claim 32 overcome any possible § 112 problems that the original claim may have had. The examiner agreed.

Applicant argued that its clarifying amendments to claims 1, 10, 15, 26, and 32 overcome the examiner's rejections under § 103. Agreement was not reached regarding this issue.

Respectfully Submitted,

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